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SUBJECT: ANNUAL TERRORISM REPORT FOR 1991: INDONESIA

REF: STATE 346420

FOLLOWING IS POST CONTRIBUTION FOR 1991 TERRORISM  
REPORT. RESPONSES ARE KEYED TO PARA 5 REFTEL.

[1](#)A. HOST GOVERNMENT PROSECUTIONS: NONE

[1](#)B. EXTRADITIONS OR REQUESTS FOR EXTRADITION: NONE

[1](#)C. IMPEDIMENTS TO HOST GOVERNMENT PROSECUTION AND/OR  
EXTRADITION: NONE EVIDENT, ALTHOUGH INDONESIA DOES NOT  
HAVE AN EXTRADITION TREATY WITH THE U.S.

[1](#)D. RESPONSES OTHER THAN PROSECUTION: DURING THE GULF  
WAR, WHEN THERE WAS SIGNIFICANT PUBLIC SYMPATHY FOR IRAQ  
AMONG INDONESIA'S MUSLIMS, INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT LEADERS  
STRESSED THAT THEY WOULD NOT TOLERATE ANY ACTIONS AGAINST  
ANY FOREIGN CITIZENS IN INDONESIA. IN ADDITION, THE  
INDONESIAN MINISTER OF RELIGION STRESSED IN PUBLIC  
STATEMENTS THAT THE GULF CONFLICT WAS NOT A RELIGIOUS WAR..

THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT RESPONDED QUICKLY TO U.S.  
REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL PROTECTION IN THE FACE OF  
DEMONSTRATIONS AT THE EMBASSY PROTESTING U.S. POLICY  
TOWARD IRAQ. INDONESIAN AUTHORITIES ALSO WORKED WITH THE  
EMBASSY IN INVESTIGATING THE ATTEMPTED BOMBING AT THE  
AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE. (NOTE: PER PARA 3 REFTEL, WE  
ASSUME WASHINGTON ANALYSTS WILL PREPARE A DESCRIPTION OF  
THE ATTEMPTED BOMBING BASED ON POST'S REPORTING AT THE  
TIME OF THE INCIDENT.)

[1](#)E. MAJOR COUNTERTERRORISM EFFORTS: THE INDONESIAN  
MILITARY AND POLICE HAVE SHOWN A GREAT DEAL OF INTEREST  
IN IMPROVING THEIR CAPABILITIES THROUGH TRAINING ABROAD,  
PARTICULARLY IN THE U.S. THE U.S. IS ASSISTING INDONESIA  
THROUGH THE ANTI-TERRORISM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

[1](#)F. SUPPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM: INDONESIA DOES  
NOT CONDONE OR SUPPORT INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM, BUT IT  
RECOGNIZES THE STATE OF PALESTINE AND HOSTS A PALESTINIAN  
EMBASSY. INDONESIA ALSO HAS DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH  
CUBA (NON-RESIDENT), IRAN, IRAQ, NORTH KOREA, AND SYRIA.  
IN ADDITION, INDONESIA ESTABLISHED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS  
WITH LIBYA ON OCTOBER 17, 1991. THE TWO COUNTRIES AGREED  
EVENTUALLY TO OPEN DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN EACH OTHER'S  
CAPITALS.

[1](#)G. STATEMENTS IN SUPPORT OF TERRORISM-SUPPORTING  
COUNTRIES: NONE

[1](#)H. SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN ATTITUDE: NONE.

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